

Kaukauna Locks and Dam, Storage Building at Lock 3
Approximately 30 feet west of the dry dock
Kaukauna
Outagamia County
Wisconsin

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KAUKAUNA LOCKS AND DAM, FRAME STORAGE/GARAGE AT LOCK 3

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Location: The Frame Storage/Garage at Kaukauna Lock 3 is located directly west of the dry dock in French lot PC 35, T21N, R18E, Civil Town of Vandenbroek, Outagamie County, Wisconsin.

UTM: 16/399820/4903920; USGS Quadrangle: Kaukauna, Wisconsin 7.5' series

Date of Construction: circa 1900

Engineer: United States Army Corps of Engineers with Contractors

Architect: United States Army Corps of Engineers with Contractors

Present Owner: United States Army Corps of Engineers

Present Use: Miscellaneous and vehicle storage for Fox River Project Office.

Significance: This frame storage/garage serves as part of the Fox River Project Office located at Kaukauna Lock 3. The storage facility is an important part of the Kaukauna Locks and Dam Complex.

Project Information: This documentation was undertaken in 1995 in accordance with requirements detailed in a June 19, 1994 letter from Gregory D. Kendrick, Chief, History Branch, NPS to Dale Monteith, Acting Chief, Planning Division, USACOE, Detroit District. The Lower Fox system remains basically operational but was placed in caretaker status by the USACOE in 1982. The USACOE plans to divest itself of the Lower Fox system as soon as is feasible; therefore, NPS requested this documentation. All documentation conforms to HAER standards.

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FRAME STORAGE/GARAGE

The frame storage building oriented on a southwesterly axis is comprised of a recent addition and an older section. The structure is 120.7 feet in length and 24.2 feet wide. A lean-to addition 10 feet wide and 60.6 feet long is attached to the southeastern end of the older section.¹ The northwest side of the newer section of the frame storage building contains a total of five 10 foot wide garage doors the length of the section. The older section of the structure is accessible through a series of slatted panel doors. The entire frame storage building is gabled with louvered panels located at each end. The building is roofed with asphalt shingles.

ENDNOTES

- 1 USACOE, Boundary survey of Government Lands in Private Claim 35 including Canal, Dry Dock and Corp Office, Kaukauna, Outagamie County, Wisconsin, Drawing number 484-0010KAU 3A, sheet 3.